

## CITY MANAGER PLAN UP TODAY IN ALEXANDRIA

Women Cast Heavy Vote at  
Election to Decide Govern-  
ment Shift.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Oct. 4.—A heavy vote is being polled today in an election to decide if the present form of government of the city shall be abandoned for that of the city manager plan. Women are voting in large numbers and the League of Women Voters, which has been active in the campaign, claims that the new form of government will win by a substantial majority.

Judges and clerk are as follows:  
First ward—Samuel W. Pitts, T. Alton Moore, Scott Grimm, and William E. Moore.  
Second ward—George A. Harlow, Conrad Schwab, Harrison Kell, James Bradley, and M. E. Greene.  
Third ward—Frank Montee, O. H. Daniels, Carter H. Smith, Douglas Lindsey, and Nelson Snyder.  
Fourth ward—Thomas Chaucey, Carlin Creighton, John Downey, George Keegan, and Wingate Summers.

A reception at the Elks Hall on Prince street tonight will open the fifty-third annual convention of the Knights of Pythias of Virginia. The address of welcome will be delivered by Mayor James M. Duncan, and will be responded to by Col. George C. Cabell, supreme vice chancellor of the order.

The Old Dominion Boat Club will,

on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights present the musical comedy, "Ship, Ahoy," at the opera house. "The Message of the Law" was the subject of a sermon delivered by Rabbi J. H. Halprin, of Newark, N. J., at the Jewish Synagogue yesterday.

### SHIPPING BOARD TO MOOR VESSELS AT BALTIMORE

Of the 1,454 steel ships under control of the Shipping Board only 420 are in service, it was announced officially today. Twenty-five are listed as "undergoing repairs" and 1,019 either have been withdrawn or are slated to go to "dead mooring" as soon as they complete their present charter and discharge cargoes.

The board announced definite selection of 14 mooring sites for ships which have been laid up because of lack of tonnage demand. They are Portland, Maine, Boston, New London, New York, Hog Island, Baltimore, James River, Savannah, Charleston, Mobile, New Orleans, Galveston, San Francisco and Seattle.

### FARMERS' REPRESENTATIVE TO ADDRESS CITY CLUB

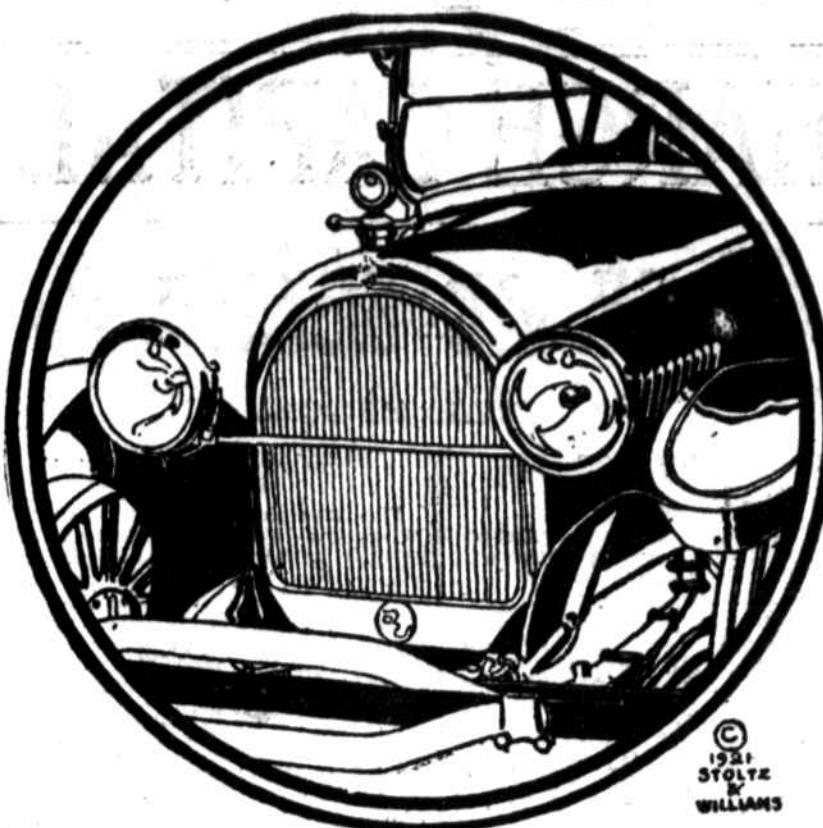
The story of how the American farmer has gone into "big business" through the medium of the American Farm Bureau Federation will be told to the City Club's forum luncheon tomorrow noon by Grey Silver, Washington representative of the Federation.

Silver's talk will begin at 1 p. m., following the noon luncheon and will end at 1:30, after which the usual questionnaire will follow.

### VOLIVA OFFERS \$1,000 FOR PROOF WORLD IS ROUND

ZION, Ill., Oct. 4.—A reward of \$1,000 to any college professor or layman who can prove the world is a sphere, or moves, was offered by William Glenn Voliva, overseer of Zion, in an address in Zion's tabernacle last night, in which he reiterated that the world is flat, and has no motion.

## WHAT CAR IS THIS? \$250 IN REWARDS



My selection is.....

Name.....

Address.....

All participants who have been following this interesting contest are now two-thirds over the top.

A total of thirty cars will be shown, and when the last one appears you are expected to send in all the titles, together with a suggestion for improving traffic conditions in Washington. Your suggestion must be kept within fifty words.

The judges of the contest, both as to the accuracy of the titles and the merits of the safety-first suggestions, will be:

Captain Albert Headley, of the Police Traffic Bureau;  
Chester Warrington, president of

the Washington Automotive Trade Association; and  
Rudolph Jose, president of the Washington Cadillac Company.

Remember that prizes aggregating \$250 will be awarded by The Washington Times to those who send in the correct names of the thirty automobiles and the best ideas for improving traffic in the National Capital.

There is nothing hard about identifying the cars, likenesses of which appear in this paper every day. If you do not recognize a car right off the bat, stand on the curb on any street in Washington and you are bound to see one roll by. If not, consult your favorite automobile dealer.

### D. C. REPRESENTATION PLAN A SOP, CITIZENS SAY

Demands for representation in both houses of Congress, with the representatives of the District having the right to cast votes, were made in resolutions passed last night at a meeting of the North Washington Citizens' Association.

The suggestion was bitterly opposed and the association went squarely on record as against "any such sop being handed the District." The association approved the move of the District Commissioners to beautify the water front. Opposition to the Borland amendment, which

### U. S. STENOGRAPHER EXAM OCT. 11, OPEN TO WOMEN

The Civil Service Commission stated today that, in view of the urgent need for stenographer and typist eligibles for temporary appointment in Washington, the examination scheduled for Tuesday, October 11, will be open to women as well as to men. Under the usual procedure such examinations are open to women once every three months.

The salary offered is \$1,440 a year including the bonus. Full information and application blanks may be obtained at the office of the Civil Service Commission, 1724 F street northwest.

### FOIL PLOT TO BLOW UP SEC. WALLACE'S HOME

DES MOINES, Iowa, Oct. 4.—An alleged plot to blow up the home of Secretary of Agriculture H. C. Wallace unless \$200 was paid for immunity collapsed and persons making the threat narrowly escaped arrest on the night of September 23 when they came to collect the money, according to information given out today by State Agent William Griffin.

A threatening note sent to the Wallace home is believed by authorities to have been written by a crank or insane person. Similar letters are known to have been sent to other residents of Des Moines recently.

### Women's City Club to Meet.

A business meeting of the Women's City Club will be held at the clubhouse, 22 Jackson place, at 8 o'clock tomorrow night.

### POLICE PURSUE BANDITS WHO FLED WITH \$10,000

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 4.—Three heavily armed bandits yesterday beat Thomas Gates, sixty-year-old messenger for the Electric City Bank, at West Scranton, snatched a bag containing negotiable securities and checks valued at \$10,000 and escaped in an automobile.

Police are pursuing the bandits in the direction of Binghamton, N. Y.

### Widow Sues R. R. for \$30,000.

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Oct. 4.—Mrs. Martha L. Smith today filed suit for \$30,000 damages against the Western Maryland Railway Company for the death of her husband, Harvey T. Smith, who was killed while employed as air brake inspector in the railway shops here.

## IF BACK HURTS USE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if kidneys feel  
like lead or bladder  
bothers.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

## All Fat People Should Know This

The world owes a debt of gratitude to the author of the new famous Marmola Prescription, and is still more indebted for the reduction of this harmless, effective obesity remedy to tablet form. Marmola Prescription Tablets can now be obtained at all drug stores, or by writing direct to Marmola Co., 4615 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich., and their reasonable price (one dollar for a large case) leaves no excuse for dieting or violent exercise for the reduction of the overfat body to normal proportions.

## Stomach on Strike 20 Years Eaton's Settled It!

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Eaton's gets right after the cause of stomach troubles by taking up and carrying out the acidity and gases and of course, when the cause is removed, the sufferer gets well. If you have sourness, belching, indigestion, food repeating or any other stomach trouble, take Eaton's tablets after each meal and find relief. Big box costs only a trifle with your druggist's guarantee.

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GOING!!  
HERPICIDE WILL SAVE IT



GONE!!!  
TOO LATE FOR HERPICIDE

### H. G. WELLS TO ATTEND DISARMAMENT PARLEY

LONDON, Oct. 4.—H. G. Wells, famous British author, will attend the conference for the limitation of armaments in Washington and will sail October 19. Mr. Wells will write his impressions and views of the work of the conference. He is deeply interested in the question of disarmament and world peace, and he sees in the forthcoming

### ADVERTISEMENT

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assembly a vast opportunity in this direction.

Mr. Wells' health will not permit him to deliver lectures or to participate in big social events, but he expects to go to California or Florida after the conference and probably will remain in America until February.

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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do not contain calomel, but a healing, soothing vegetable laxative.

No gripping is the "keynote" of these little sugar-coated, olive-colored tablets. They cause the bowels and liver to act normally. They never force them to unnatural action.

If you have a "dark brown mouth"—bad breath—a dull, tired feeling—sick headache—torpid liver, constipation, you'll find quick, sure and pleasant results from one or two of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets at bedtime.

Thousands take them every night just to keep right. Try them. 15c and 50c.

## Know All About the Limitation of Armament Conference

The Countries Participating, the Rulers,  
Capitals and Representatives and  
WIN A VALUABLE PRIZE

See the Prizes at  
1345 Pa. Avenue N. W.

## D. C. STUDENTS WILL FOLLOW ARMS PARLEY

Local High Schools Will Convert History  
Courses Into Study of Conference.

When the diplomats of the world's great powers gather in Washington for the conference of limitation of armaments, in November, local high school students will be given the opportunity of studying history in the making, from living sources.

It is an acknowledged fact that the coming conference will be epochal in the history of civilization, and rather than wait until the history of the parley is finished and written, local students will follow the progress of the session from day to day in the classroom.

The Board of Education and Dr. Ballou have announced their intention of having the pupils take part in the program which is being arranged for the 2,000 delegates who will come to Washington. The high school students will have a part to play in the welcome which will be extended the foreign delegates.

Prof. George J. Jones, of 1201 I street northeast, has charge of the history courses in the five high schools. He has made no definite plans with regard to the study of the conference by history students, but is leaving the matter up to each individual teacher.

"I have suggested to the teachers that they have their pupils observe the forthcoming history in the making, with the understanding that such study will be a valuable aid to their course. No definite program has been arranged, but every professor of history intends to have the students do their best work while the conference is in progress."

Dr. Frank W. Ballou is working to find a way to have the history students get a decided insight and viewpoint on the conference. He believes the plan to have some public school teachers and pupils at sessions is a good one, and will further it.

"We are taking advantage of this chance for students to observe the most modern of historical gatherings," he says. "I am sure each teacher in our classes will impress on her pupils the desirability of acquainting themselves with conditions of today."

Mrs. Ottilie Young, who has several civics and history classes at Central High School, intends to have her pupils do work directly in connection with the conference. The discourses will be put under a "spotlight" to ascertain the real meaning of the decisions.

Follow The Washington Times  
Limitation of Armaments Contest  
Read the Want Ad Pages  
Put Together the Missing Letters on  
the Want Ad Pages

The words in black type on the Want-Ad Pages are classification heads. Scattered throughout the Want-Ad Pages you will find a letter missing from certain classification heads. These letters put together in proper sequence will spell the name of a country participating in the Limitation of Armaments Conference.

All you have to do to compete for a prize is to correctly piece together these missing letters for 5 days and send in your answers with 5 subjects you hope will be discussed at the Limitations of Armaments Conference, together with one or more reasons as to why they should be discussed. The winners will be judged by the best answers and reasons. Judges will be announced later.

First prize winner has choice of prizes, second prize winner, second choice, third prize winner, third choice, etc. Send in your first answer and reasons tonight.

Name .....

Address .....

My Answer is .....

I hope the Limitation of Armaments Conference will discuss .....



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Other models are shown on the smart straight lines, with large collars and worn with or without belts. Each fully lined with heavy silk.

## Georgette Over- blouses

Are Surprisingly  
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Four new models, of the popular hip length, tie-on overblouse, favored this season for suit wear, from which to make your selections; both in the dark street shades and flesh color or white.

Beautifully embroidered designs in contrasting colors, outlined in iridescent beads, distinguish these models, each an excellent value at the low price of \$5.

Blouse Section, Third floor.

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Dresses are for the most part simple and straightlined, with only a narrow belt or sash, worn rather low at the waist. Most of them have the round French neck and the wide three-quarter sleeves, but a very charming little coat dress has a V-neck and attractive collar of black satin. Black silk braids are used in many attractive ways, and very often are the only trimmings, but in several models we see pretty designs worked out in black or colored silk embroidery—vests of bright-hued silk—fancy buttons and dainty little tassels.

Altogether they are just the sort of dresses to wear right now, and the prices are but one of their most attractive features.

Dress Section, Third floor.

Are You Keeping Up With The Times?